

SOCIAL EVENTS

Santa Claus himself made a short pre-Christmas visit to Montreat Sunday night, December 12, when he appeared in the Home Ec. lab, where the College Seniors were entertaining Miss Hoyt with a buffet supper. Traditional Christmas music and yuletide decorations, including a tree with gifts which Santa presented to all, added to the festivity and gaiety of the occasion.

Dr. Richard T. Gillespie, Candidate Secretary of the Executive Committee of Foreign Missions, Nashville, Tennessee, was the guest pastor in the pulpit on Sunday, November 28. He spoke again to the high school and college at their Sunday night vespers.

Dr. Gillespie told of the conditions under which a foreign missionary lives and works, and he explained the organization set-up in the different outposts of the Presbyterian Church.

The United Youth Clubs of the School will celebrate Christmas with their annual Christmas program.

The devotions will be divided between the three clubs: The Spanish Club will have the Scripture, the French Club, the prayer, and the Latin Club will sing a hymn. Each group will present a skit.

The Alpha Phi has chosen new members. Out of the many very good compositions submitted, those of Lucille Black, Jean Courreges, Dorothy Dabbs, Margaret Hobbs, Key Lowery, Ann Martin, Frances Roberson and Dotty Todd warranted their entrance into the Alpha Phi.

On December 12, the "Messiah" was presented in Asheville Auditorium. Quite a few of the girls from here attended this concert.

Oh, Joy! At last the Staff has received a new and much needed typewriter. The DIALETTE will be sent to press with much more ease now.

We were all sorry to hear of Mrs. Macauley's accident. Mrs. Maund, Mary, Sidney and Winnie, who were with her on the trip, have already come back; and we hope she'll be well soon.

The Kappa Pi Beta will be in charge of the chapel program, Thursday, December 16. A special Christmas program is planned, and members of the club will read original compositions.

Margery Washburn, Margaret Boseman, Mrs. Miller, and Evan Wrenn have received congratulatory letters from Dennis Hartman, secretary of the National College Poetry Anthology, stating that their poems were selected for publication.

The "Christmas Spirit" is spreading around Montreat at a very speedy pace. The girls are becoming very excited about the approaching holiday. The chatter in the "dorms" include these well-known terms: "Bus schedules," "tickets," "cuts," "lay-overs," "changes," and "home!"

Dr. H. H. Thompson, Director, Assembly's Committee on Evangelism, Atlanta, Ga., was the guest preacher at the morning service December 12.

Dr. J. McDowell Richards, President, Columbia Theological Seminary, Decatur, Ga., will be the guest preacher Sunday, December 19.

On Saturday, December 4, Misses Jeanette Nash and "Jinx" Bean were surprised by a birthday supper-party given at Assembly Inn. It was a very festive affair, with the girls receiving many and useful gifts.

On Friday, November 26, Miss DuBose and Miss Hoyt entertained the visiting alumnae and their hostesses with an informal tea.

On Thanksgiving morning, the High School "M" Club won the soccer game over the Varsity, by a score of 6 to 0.

Miss Annie Bell Hill made a very interesting talk on "Christian Education and Ministerial Relief" to the College S.C.A. on Sunday, December 5.

In The Clubs

The Lydian Club met December 6, with Betty Jean Chaplin, vice-president, presiding. Two nominating committees were appointed to select nominees to fill the offices of the resigning president and vice-president. Mr. George Sanders, Secretary of the Asheville Federal Savings and Loan Association, spoke to the group, giving details about Federal Banks and the services rendered by the Association.

The Music Club met in Gaither Hall, November 22, at 8 o'clock. The following officers were elected: President, Charlotte Roth; Vice-President, Jerry Ford; Secretary and Treasurer, Mildred Wilkinson. Several of the voice and piano students had charge of the musical program.

Tonight, December 13, the United Youth Club, composed of the Spanish, German, French, and Latin Clubs, will give a joint Christmas program in Gaither Chapel. Each club will present a Christmas story, several carols, and the Christmas customs of the country in their respective languages. For the closing, each group will pray the Lord's Prayer.

The Kappa Pi Beta used the Christmas theme in their meeting Monday, December 6. After the reading of their Christmas contributions, the members joined in singing carols.

Beta Club Dramatizes Club Meeting

The Beta Club had the Chapel program on Saturday, December 1, and depicted one of their Club meetings.

They gave the purpose of the club and the entrance requirements for the club. The entrance requirements are that one must have 2 A's for every B on the semester average. One must also be active in school affairs and at least a sophomore.

Several members gave some very good talks on choosing one's vocation.

Aside from the Charter Members of last year, three new Beta members were tapped at the beginning of the semester. They were Mary Don Doty, Dotty Holcomb, and Harriet Massey. After first semester there will be another tapping new members.

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